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Invention:

PROTEIN WITH ACTIVITY OF HYDROLYZING DEXTRAN, STARCH, MUTAN, INULIN AND LEVAN, GENE ENCODING THE SAME, CELL EXPRESSING THE SAME, AND PRODUCTION METHOD THEREOF

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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